

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Canvassing for New Members—Healthy Finances—The Penitentiary Health Question. At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday morning the president announced the following committee to canvass for new members: Monday—G. Hewitt, W. Lee, T. J. Barney, Tuesday—J. W. McClung, W. L. Banning, J. T. Davidson, Wednesday—Thos. Cochran, Jr., R. Blakely, T. S. White, Thursday—H. Trot, F. Driscoll, J. B. Sanborn, Friday—R. W. Johnson, Wm. Rhodes, F. Williams, Saturday—E. J. Hodgson, G. Zoltan, Wm. Lindake.

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CITY GLOBULES.

Hunchback to-night. Spring or summer? is the question of the day. Officer Cook did a land-office business yesterday.

How about the Rice Park open-air summer concert? Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer by this winter's sun.

The notorious Mrs. Caffray was sent out to the city hospital yesterday. Farmer Bell, of the Sixth ward, planted an acre of melon seed yesterday.

There was a dress rehearsal of the "Hunchback" at the Opera House last night. Mrs. Gilmore, the savior, was boosted out of the city yesterday to Eau Claire, Wis.

The thermometer marked eighty degrees in the shade yesterday at Wampler's drug store. Rev. Thomas W. Merrill, father of D. D. Merrill of this city, died suddenly at Lansing, Michigan, on the 18th inst.

Candidates for admission to the State bar will find an important notice to them in the regular court report of this issue. Officer Galvin nabbed Peter Gray yesterday.

Gray will have an ebb on a stolen coat to answer for in the municipal court this morning. Some dozen inquirers for State lands presented themselves yesterday at the office of auditor of state, who is the State land commissioner.

The nuptials of Lt. A. B. Johnson, son of Gen. R. W. Johnson, and Miss Kittie Snythe, will be celebrated this afternoon at St. Paul's church.

Dr. Murphy, it is understood, will be a candidate for reelection as school inspector on the first ward at the forthcoming municipal election. Officer Nugent's quota to this morning's municipal court glist consists in a burly human, who was found lying round promiscuously on Broadway yesterday evening.

"Moon" Meyer" shouted the almanac last night, and with the gas-lamp light projected at midnight to put on the light, leaving the city in Egyptian darkness.

Robert Banks has returned to the city, and will address the Literary Society, under Odd Fellows' hall, this evening. His friends may find him located with Mr. T. Lyles, Babawash street.

G. A. Wells left yesterday to hunt up and locate lands along the line of the Vincent extension, of the St. Paul & Pacific railroad for the members of the soldiers' and sailors' organization of this city.

There are two German tailors in this city of the name of Fischer. The one carved by the name of Fischer on Saturday night, and the other, who is named August Fischer, and not Louis Fischer, the Seventh street tailor.

The investigation into the Saturday night Chestnut street row was continued yesterday in the municipal court until Saturday, on which occasion it may be expected that all shillaboo will be represented.

A couple of ducks, who gave their names as Albert Free and P. Murphy, were run in yesterday by Officer Cook for stealing a coat from Guion's saloon on Jackson street, and which they had purloined from the premises of Dr. Alley in exchange for a pair of trousers.

Dr. Alley is expected to return to this city in one week, and his many friends in this city will be gratified to learn that the latest intelligence of him, received yesterday, states that he is in a somewhat improved condition of health.

It might be well for Brother McKibben to consider whether it is good policy to send the ungrateful female who is accused of the town in charge of the special detective of the city. In their reformed state they may desire different society.

The Fort Snelling bridge commission held an adjourned session on Saturday, whereat estimates for the structure were received and considered. By-and-by the commission may wake up to a realization of the fact that its members are public servants, constituted such by the provision of public law.

In yesterday's GLOBE was an article respecting "the war horse known as 'Comanche,' the only representative of the bloody tragedy of the Little Big Horn, June 25, 1876," better recognized as "Comanche," the horse of the county coroner, extracted the bullets which pierced the wounded animal in that bloody fray.

Yr. engineer Sewall and Thomas Cochran, Jr., went out yesterday to visit and inspect the site of the Fort Snelling bridge, their object being to prepare plans for the structure for the information of Gen. Terry, the departmental military engineer and observer. Dr. Sewall placed the interests in the premises of the United States.

Emanuel Harris and John Allen, two of the most desperate and despicable negroes of the city, whose arrest and cause thereof were fully detailed in yesterday's GLOBE, were yesterday found guilty respectively of the crimes of murder and accessory thereto. Both were committed, Harris to await the action of the grand jury and Allen for thirty days imprisonment.

Fritz Oelker appeared yesterday in the municipal court to answer the ways and wherefores of his possession of certain goods and chattels found upon his premises, which were alleged to be the property of his former partner, the late Mrs. E. E. Faber, and which he is induced by a worthless deed of a picture for 700 thalers under the impression that an English gentleman (O. Dreher) will give 1,000 thalers for it. The 700 thalers is alleged to have been paid by Mrs. Faber to Fritz Oelker, and he, of course, makes a plea of denial. As to the picture, there are some cleverly arranged situations and the music is sprightly and good. The play, as a whole, was well rendered.

As though a good concert and a well prepared play were not sufficient, the generosity society added a ball to conclude their mammoth entertainment, and this last was as great a success and as well appreciated as the performance.

RIVER MATTERS YESTERDAY. There was another rise of three inches yesterday, giving a total depth of five feet six inches.

The Diamond Jo got off for down river at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The fine K. N. packet Red Wing, Capt. Hight, is at the levee, and is announced to leave for St. Louis at 10 o'clock this morning.

The Arkansas is due, and is probably at the levee this morning. She has an immense freight trip. The next packet will be the fine lower river K. N. boat Bob Roy, expected to be on on Wednesday. The Clinton follows the Roy.

PERSONAL. Mr. N. P. Clarke, St. Cloud, at the Merchants. Hon. Gordon E. Cole, Faribault, at the Metropolitan. Dr. J. H. McCormack, Minneapolis, registered at the Windsor last evening.

J. Whitney, 11th U. S. infantry, and W. P. Clark, 1st Cavalry, registered at the Windsor yesterday. Mr. L. R. Lawrence and J. W. Mason and wife, Little Rock, Ark., at the Metropolitan. Mr. Hugh Cochran and C. S. Congrove, prominent merchants of Le Sueur, registered at the Merchants yesterday.

Hon. J. P. Jacobson, assistant secretary of State, left last evening for Swift county, where he will graze until Friday. Among the arrivals at the Clarendon are T. W. Davis, Belle Plaine; E. E. Stamm, St. Paul; A. M. Thames, Okosh, Wis.; W. P. Spalding, Brainerd.

Among the arrivals at the Windsor yesterday were W. D. Savage, Smartie City; H. S. Carpenter, St. Peter; J. H. Kling, Jewetta, Minn.; W. S. Powell, D. G. Coleman, Chippewa Falls; D. M. Moore, Mendota; J. D. Maldoon, F. M. Muldoon, Hammond.

SUPREME COURT.

DECISION OF CASE FILED YESTERDAY.

The State of Minnesota vs. James B. Boals, as administrator, et al., Relator, vs. The Probate Court of Ramsey County, Theresa Ebert, Willam Dawson and Robert A. Smith, Respondents. SYLLABUS.

The real estate of a deceased person descends to his heirs or goes to his devisees subject to administration and payment of his debts, and this liability continues not only against heirs and devisees, but purchasers from them until the administration is closed.

The proceedings before commissioners upon claims submitted for their allowance are all persons interested in the estate are parties, and all are bound by the award of the commissioners of the appellate court on appeal.

A affidavit of the executor filed in the probate court that there are no debts, does not affect the right of creditors to have a commission and to prove their claims and to have them paid out of the real estate. When there are debts against an estate only allowed and there is no personal property in the hands of the administrator to pay such debts, it is the duty of the probate court on a proper application by the administrator to grant license to sell real estate for that purpose, Sub. 10, sec. 3, ch. 37, laws of 1876, is not retroactive.

Decision of probate court reversed and cause remanded with instructions to grant the application for leave to sell real estate.

United States District Court. In BANKRUPTCY. [Before Judge Nelson.] Edward P. Thompson, Minneapolis, filed a voluntary petition that he be adjudicated a bankrupt.

Supreme Court. [Before the full Bench.] No. 63. Lucien Warner, appellant, vs. Henry Kenning, respondent. Submitted on briefs.

No. 64. John C. O'Brien, appellant, vs. the City of St. Paul, respondent. Argued and submitted.

No. 65. Martin Bruggerman, appellant, vs. the City of St. Paul, respondent. Argued and submitted.

No. 64. In the matter of the State Historical Society, W. Barrett, Esq., appeared in the behalf of the corporation, and the respondents were the members of the soldiers' and sailors' organization of this city.

No. 81, 82 and 83. These are informations filed against J. W. Artander, and will be heard immediately upon the opening of the court.

Candidates for admission to the bar of the State will bear in mind that the examinations are fixed for Wednesday morning next. The examiners are H. F. Masterson, Wm. Barrett and C. E. Otis, Esqs.

Probate Court. [Before Judge O'Gorman.] Estate of Lauriston Hall, Executor's bond, in the amount of \$25,000, filed for the sale of real estate in Ramsey and Pine counties.

Municipal Court. [Before Judge Flint.] Martin Barkley was acquitted of a charge of assault and battery.

C. P. Hawley, accused of obstructing the street traffic, had his case continued until Saturday.

Emanuel Harris and John Allen, both colored, charged with the murder of August Fischer, were found guilty, Harris was committed to await the action of the grand jury in default of \$500 bail, and Allen was committed to the city jail for thirty days.

Michael Houlihan, John Houlihan, Bridget Houlihan and John McCarthy, the Saturday night Chestnut street assassins of Michael Stapleton, had their cases continued until Saturday.

Fritz Oelker, accused of the larceny of certain goods found upon his Washington street premises, was found guilty, and was committed to await the action of the grand jury in default of \$500 bail, and Allen was committed to the city jail for thirty days.

The "Jolly Students." The German society paid a graceful compliment to Mr. Wm. Manner last night in a banquet at the Athenaeum.

ST. PAUL TO BISMARCK

THE "GLOBE" AND BLACK HILLS CORRESPONDENT WEATHER BOUND.

The party which left St. Paul on Saturday—The Ride to Brainerd and Beyond—Description of the Country—Land Hunters at Fargo—A Lively Picture of Bismarck—The Non-Imposing Appearance of Fort Lincoln—A Storm that Cuts Off Communication with Deadwood.

[Correspondence of the Globe.] BISMARCK, April 21.—It was a jolly party that, on Saturday last, wended their jovial way to the Northern Pacific train, St. Paul, and upon it embarked for various points of the great Northwest. There were Dan Eisenberg, a heavy drygoods dealer of this place, a whole-souled fellow, and one who can appreciate a telephonic story, and give a neat rejoinder; J. R. Newberry, a drummer (neither base nor snare) for Granger & Hodge, of St. Paul; Hood, of Little Falls, also a merchant, with a penchant for canaries, and who always travels with his arms full of bundles; Landford Weed, of the Headquarters hotel, Brainerd, chaperoning his family home from a few days' tarry with Col. Allen, of the Merchants' Editor, frequent of the Detroit Record, with his little red moustache sticking out as an emphasis to his oft expressed political preference for Stewart over Washburn, and who becomes easily provoked when the subject of the coming of the berth during the wee sma' hours of night; Deputy Sheriff Harrison, of Ramsey county, who, seeking to repair his impaired health, is now rusticated at the Merchants, this city, and pencils, Black Hillswards bound, in search of items for the deletion of the GLOBE's many readers; and, as Dan Dougherty would say, "many others." A little growl occurred when the party found that in making up the train, the usual order had been reversed, first class coaches being placed in advance of the second, and the former full of emigrants. It was but a short, although unanimous growl, however, and was soon displaced by general good feeling.

THE RAILROAD. A trip from St. Paul to Bismarck is a positive pleasure, seldom marred by accident, or an unfortunate incident of any kind, and when made with congenial companions it becomes a luxury. The rolling stock is good, albeit sleeping or drawing room coaches are not run east of Fargo; the speed attained is all that a due regard for safety will permit. The road is evenly laid, well ballasted and under the surveillance of efficient men, and runs over the finest agricultural land in America, while many natural beauties of prairies, forests, streams, lakes, etc., continuously charm the eye.

ALONG THE ROUTE. From St. Paul the road makes a gradual, ascending detour for three or four miles until an upper plateau is reached, across which it leads to Minneapolis, the first station. From thence it runs along the eastern bank of the Mississippi, passing through pretty villages, in plain view of venerable Fort Ripley (our garrison) by a sergeant and two men, and on to the old and the hammer in June; through a cosy pine forest, and into the once famous but now very quiet village of Brainerd, where a dinner fit for the gods was served, and the party, after his eight hours' absence, Beyond Brainerd, the road penetrates a milder and more unbroken, and less productive country, the soil being light—or, to be more correct, the land having no soil at all, but consisting of a thin layer of sand, and at frequent intervals by pretty lakes of pure water, having no visible inlet or outlet, and which abound with fish, principally pickerel of astonishing weight and excellent quality.

For fifty miles these characteristics prevail, and then they give place to unmistakable signs of fertile soil, advancing civilization and agricultural thrift, which increases in number and force until they culminate in the large and prosperous city of Moorhead, and Fargo at the crossing of Red river. Here we supped, and, at the most poorly spread tables upon any railroad over which it has ever been my duty or pleasure to travel. The present management of the hotel (Headquarters) will admit that the first of the month, in favor of Mr. Witt, formerly caterer for the Michigan Central company, and none too soon for the welfare of the Northern Pacific people.

FARGO. Fargo is one of the goals of the great immigration that now blesses the Northwest. Thither nine tenths of the land hunters proceed, and, making their headquarters, survey the wonderful regions lying to the north and south. As indicative of the importance of the place, I insert the report of the receiver of the United States land office, of lands sold and entered at the Fargo office for the months of January, February, and March last: January, 9,426; February, 15,157; March, 36,275; total, 61,858. Ten miles west, the road crosses several giant farms, each employing hundreds of laborers and the most improved machinery in tilling the soil and gathering in the immense yearly crop. The production is chiefly wheat of a quality and quantity best shown by the statement that from one farm of 8,000 acres there were, last season, gathered 160,000 bushels of the net profit, which amounted to \$50,000. A larger acreage and an increased yield will be the result of this year's work. As we passed over the territory during last night we were unable to view this great national and local industry, the 150 miles westward, or to the Missouri river at Bismarck, which place we reached at 7 o'clock this morning, and where I learned that a succession of storms, both snow and rain, had washed away all bridges and transformed the road from here to Deadwood into an impassable slough. No stages have arrived from Deadwood in three days, and none will be dispatched from here until the terrible storm now raging abates, and the delayed vehicles appear.

BISMARCK. Bismarck is a true type of a frontier town, with its log cabins, squatty, one story frame buildings, nearly all of which are devoted to liquor traffic, sporting, and questionable pursuits. True, there are houses of legitimate business, and a few carrying large and excellent stocks of goods, but they are as a drop in the bucket when compared with the number of those first above mentioned. The railroad buildings, including the (Sheridan) hotel, have a creditable appearance, and to an extent mitigate the squatty appearance of every hand. The present population numbers about 1,200, whose business interests are railroading, freighting, steamboating, contracting, mercantile pursuits, liquor selling, and gambling.

With a preponderance decidedly in favor of the two last named, but there is a small fraction, who have a code of morals of a praiseworthy character, is denominated by the presence of three neat little churches, schools, courts, and institutions for the punishment of criminals. Bismarck is the present western terminus of the Northern Pacific, and a point for the trans-shipment of freight from cars to upper Missouri boats, and to wagons running to the Black Hills, which give to the town a degree of importance, and a stability for the time being, which it otherwise would not possess. Should Congress extend the time for the completion of the Northern

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TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 23d The Beautiful Drama Entitled THE HUNCHBACK.

Will be rendered for the benefit of the Protestant Orphan Asylum and Home of the Friendless. Doors open at 7 P. M. Performance to commence at 8 P. M.

Prices of Admission—Parquet and Parquet Circle, \$1.00; Dress Circle, 75 cents. Seats may be reserved on and after April 20th without extra charge. No one will be allowed to reserve more than ten (10) seats. 9-17-78

FOUND. A SUM OF MONEY, which the owner can have by calling at my office, and paying for this advertisement in advance. J. F. SUMMERS, at Fort Snelling. Apply to J. F. Summers, at Fort Snelling, P. O. Box 92.

BOARDING. PRIVATE BOARDING at 144 Robert street. 97-101.

WANTED. WANTED—A situation by a middle aged gentleman who has had 30 years experience in an accounting. Will accept employment in any manufacturing line or as a traveler. Address: ENGLISHMAN, Globe Office.

FOR SALE. JUST RECEIVED—One or two head of large horses and one or two head of large calves at Mr. Mintzer's stable, back of No. 10 Robert street. For sale cheap. DR. MINTZER.

FOR SALE. Light open buggy, in good order. Inquire 64 Temperance street. 92

Homes in Minnesota.

MINNESOTA'S GREAT WESTERN RAILROAD. The Northern Pacific Railroad, which will connect St. Paul with the Black Hills, is now under construction. The route is the shortest and most direct from St. Paul to the Black Hills, and will be completed in 1879.

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